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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Sir:

This amendment is being submitted in response to the Examiner's office action dated March 21, 2005. It is being submitted within 4 months of the mailing date of said office action, making it a timely response.

A petition for extension of time and payment of the fee for an extension of one month is enclosed.

Applicant believes no additional fee is due other than that enclosed. If this belief is in error, the commissioner is permitted to charge any required extension and/or fee to deposit account No. 03-4075 (Attorney Docket No. MGM/0196).

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.